

An Assessment of Army R&D Requirements for Logistics from the Sea

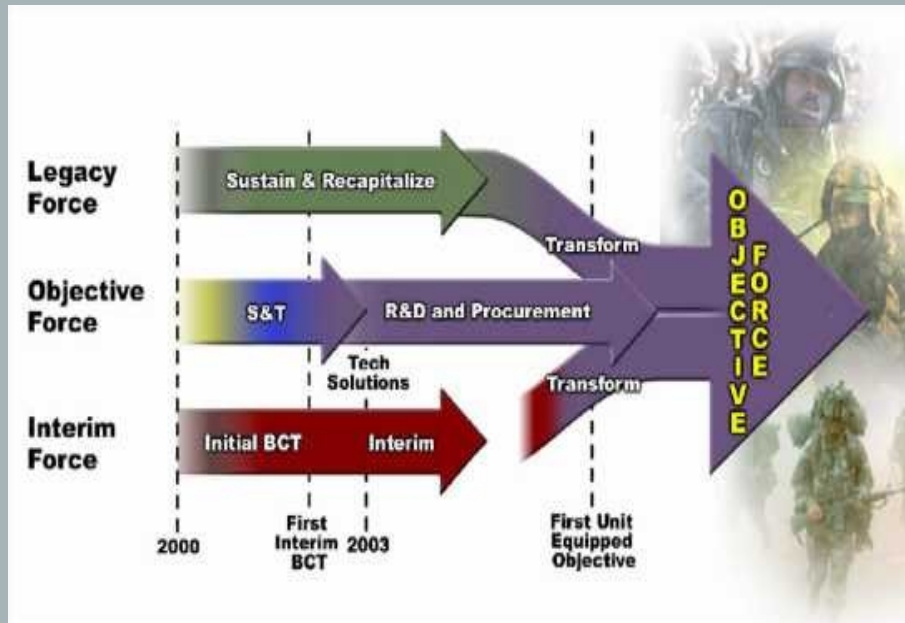
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For the Army Everything Changed in Autumn 2000

- ▶ *1 Brigade in 96 hours*
- ▶ *1 Division in 120 hours*
- ▶ *5 Divisions in 30 Days*

Strategic Logistics



Outline

- ▶ *Concept Development*
- ▶ *Concept Validation*
- ▶ *Development of New Systems*
- ▶ *Testing/Integration of New System*



Concept Development



▲ *Pixie Dust is a Very
Limited Commodity*

▲ *DPG No Longer
Requires SS3 JLOTS
by 2005*

Links and Nodes in Bare-Beach JLOTS

	Link	Offshore Node	JLOTS Link	Coastal Node	JLOTS Link	Inland Node
<i>Transportation System Element</i>	CONUS to Theater	Transfer to Lighter	JLOTS Link Offshore to Coast	Transfer to On-land Transporters	Beach to TAA	Staging for TAA
<i>Systems</i>	Deep-Draft Sealift Ship	Cranes RRDF's Ramps RIBS etc.	LCU's LSV's Causeway Ferries etc..	Causeways Piers RTCH's Cranes, etc.	Causeways Piers RTCH's Cranes, etc.	_____
<i>Operational Problems</i>	LOW	Very High	Moderate To High	Very High	Moderate	_____
<i>R & D Obstacles</i>	LOW	High	High	High	High	Moderate

Links and Nodes with TSV – Based Systems

	Link	Node	Link	Node
<i>Transportation System Element</i>	CONUS to ISB	ISB	ISB to Coast	Port Facility at Coast (TAA)
<i>Systems</i>	Deep-Draft Sealift Ship	Existing Large Ports	TSV (HSV)	Enhanced or New Ports
<i>Operational Problems</i>	Low	Low	Low	Moderate
<i>R & D Obstacles</i>	Low	Low	Low	High

Concept Development R & D Needs

★ *System Metrics*

- *Performance (Potential Throughout Rates)*
- *Robustness (Redundancy, Vulnerability, Universality)*
- *Cost (Per Unit)*
- *Force Structure Impact*
- *Flexibility (One Size Doesn't Fit All)*
- *Sustainability (Without Pixie Dust)*

★ *Review*

- Panel*
- *Top Quality, High Level Government R & D Members*
 - *External (Non-commercial) Members*
 - *Military Members*

Concept Validation

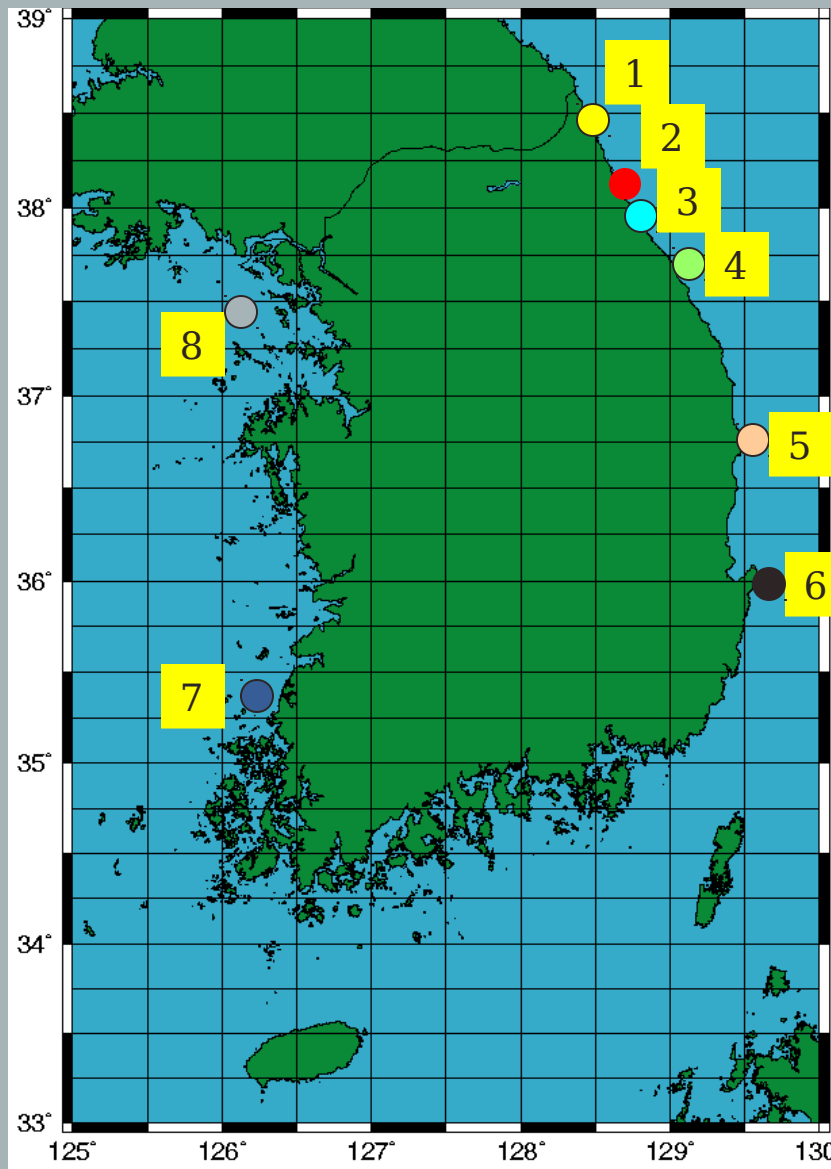
“Measure Twice – Cut Once”



Cattle Labs Provide the Yardsticks

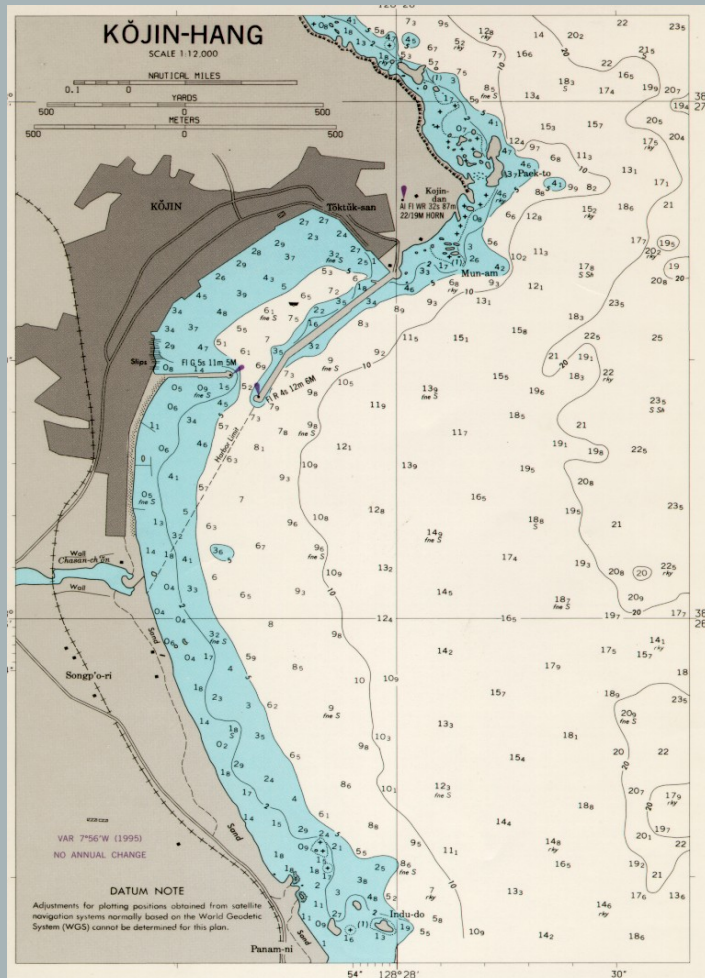


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KOJIN-HANG



ADVANTAGES

- Good approach
- Good anchorages inside and outside harbor
- Navigational aids
- Lighted entrance
- Adequate depth and turning basin
- Protected harbor
- Breakwaters
- Quay wall
- Road system and rail access

DISADVANTAGES

- Close proximity to North Korea (10 km)
- No ramps or piers
- No apparent storage facilities
- Limited staging area
- No apparent cargo handling equipment

ESTIMATED SUPPORT REQUIREMENTS

- Build ramp(s), pier, and staging area

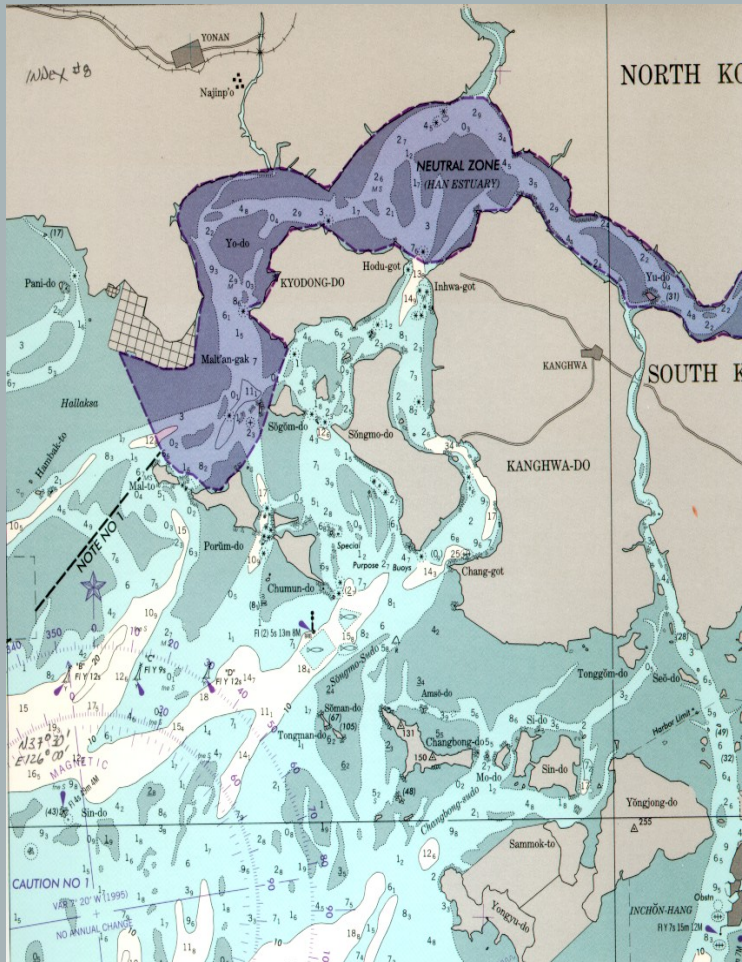
SURVEY REQUIREMENTS

- Staging area
- Quality rail/road network
- Survey tidal range
- Sea and wind condition forecasts

LAT: 38° 24' N
LONG: 128° 27' E

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KANGHWA-DO



ADVANTAGES

- Near DMZ (10 km)
- Adequate harbor and turning basin
- Apparent beaching area
- Road access
- Approach navigational aids

DISADVANTAGES

- Near DMZ
- No facilities

ESTIMATED SUPPORT REQUIREMENTS

- Build ramp(s), piers, facilities, and staging area

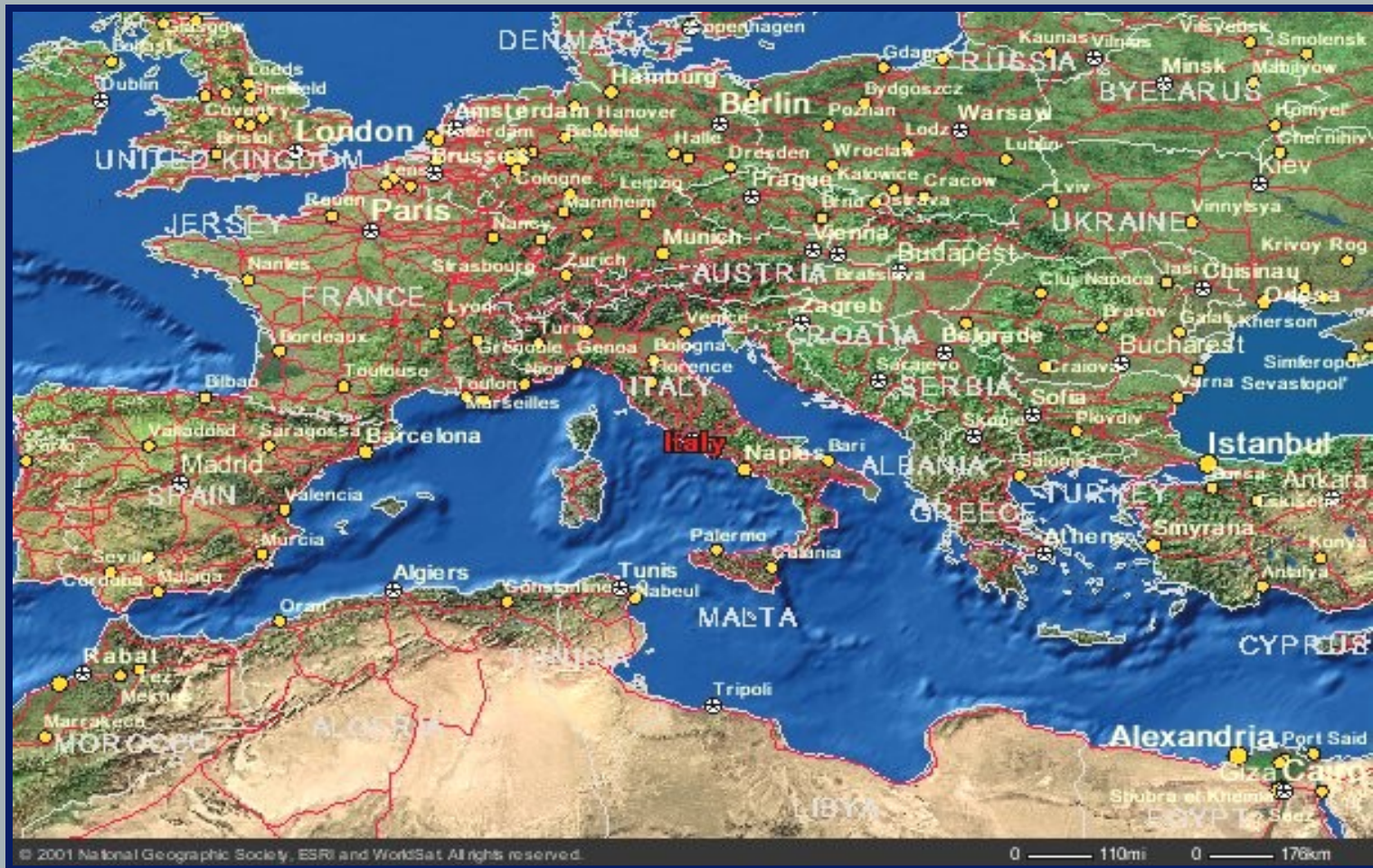
SURVEY REQUIREMENTS

- Total survey required for suitability
- May be useable for J/LOTS only

LAT: 37° 30'
N
LONG: 126° 00'
E

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Impact of RPE on Force Closure



Closure



Impact of RPE on Force Closure

Table 5: *IBCT Closure Time, days*

	Case 1	Case 2	Case 3
Existing	4.7	5.2	10.3
Enhanced	3.3	3.6	6.2

Impact of RPE on Force Closure

Table 6: *IDIV Closure Time, days*

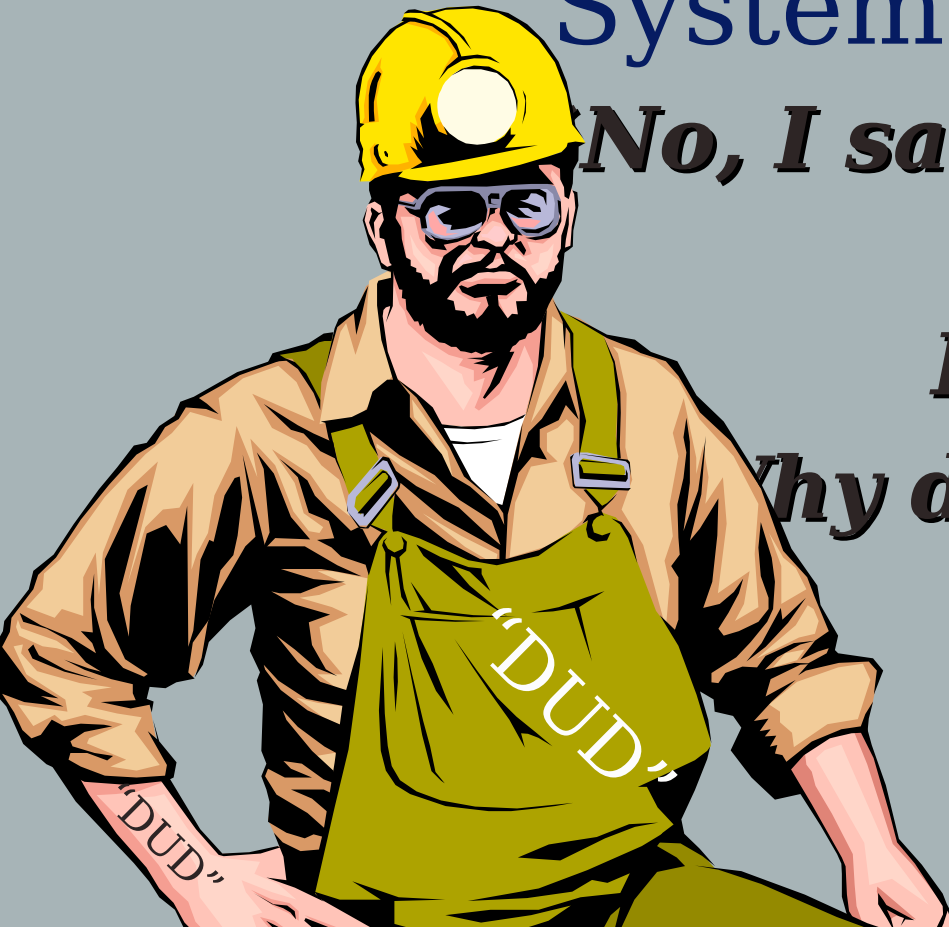
	Case 1	Case 2	Case 3
Existing	21.3	21.7	35.4
Enhanced	6.9	9.6	11.6

Concept Validation R&D Needs

- ▶ *Accurate Information Base for Decision Making*
 - Ports Study
- ▶ *Integrated Throughput Models*
 - Constructive simulations
 - Evaluate Alternatives Objectively
- ▶ *Dedicated Leadership in Battle Labs*
 - Changing Roles Requires Refocusing of Efforts



Development of New Systems



***No, I said my nickname
was***

DUDE ,

Why do you ask??”

**Systems Have to Fit With
Each Other and Into an
Integrated System Concept**



Revised R&D Paradigm for Deployment

- ▶ *Sea Lift Problems Have Traditionally Occurred at Nodes
(Normandy, Vietnam, and Somalia)*
- ▶ *Majority of R&D and Procurement Budget is Spent on Links*
- ▶ *Do New Systems Remove All Potential Nodal Problems*
- ▶ *If Not, Seek Some Balance In Investments Before the “Whoops” Stage*



New Systems R&D Needs

- ▶ *Information for TSV/HSV “specs”*
 - ▶ *New Technologies for Rapidly Enhancing or Creating Small Ports*
 - ▶ *Active Systems Integration Group*
 - *R&D Scheduling Must Fit Into Scheduling*
- “Fielding”*



SPOD Enhancements/Alternatives for the Objective Force (SEA-OF)

- High Speed Sealift combined with Rapid SEA-OF Enhancement Capabilities
- Studies show that throughput rates would be comparable to world class ports
- SEA-OF allows utilization of existing commercially developed high speed sealift vessels

Existing Small Port



Expedient
Dredging

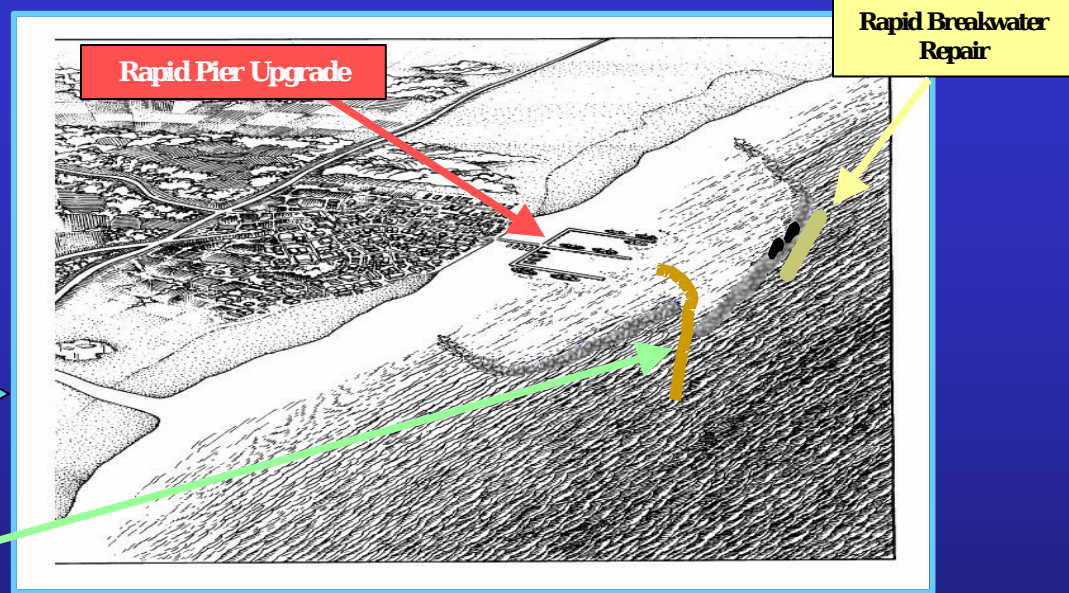
Initially Bare Beach Port

Pacing Technologies:

Nearshore Breakwater Technology

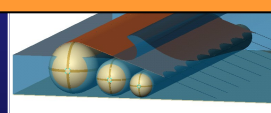
Rapid Port Upgrade/Construction Technology

RIDE Technology Design development



Nearshore Breakwater system

Improved Floating Causeways



TSV



Rapid Infrastructure
Development &
Enhancement

Questions???

